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STATE INMATE DIES AFTER SUFFERING INJURIES ON WORK DETAIL

JACKSON –JACKSON – A state inmate has died after being injured while working on a garbage truck in Greene County.

Tymario Joiner, 22, was pronounced dead at 1:57 p.m. today at Greene County Hospital. The accident occurred at 10:20 a.m. on Sand Ridge Road. An autopsy will be performed.

Joiner was a member of an inmate work crew at South Mississippi Correctional Institution (SMCI). The work crew, assigned to the Greene County Solid Waste Department, is suspended pending an investigation.

Joiner, #195566, was in prison for burglary larceny of an unoccupied dwelling and burglary of a vehicle. He received a total of 15 years to serve with five years' probation when sentenced on Feb. 3, 2015 in Oktibbeha County.